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July 6, 1983

Mr. Michael Dick  
Texas Department of Water Resources  
Enforcement & Field Operations Division  
Stephen F. Austin Building  
1700 North Congress Avenue  
Austin, TX 78711

RE: Koppers Company, Inc.  
Collinsworth Site  
Closed Facility

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Dear Mr. Dick:

In our phone conversation on June 29, you indicated that the State had received data indicating a potential groundwater problem at the Koppers Company, Inc., Forest Products Group, former wood preserving plant site on Collinsworth Avenue in Houston, Texas. As we have not seen any of this data to date, we are unable to ascertain whether or not a significant problem exists. However, as I indicated to you, if a groundwater problem does exist, and it is in fact stemming from our former wood preserving operation on Collinsworth Avenue; Koppers Company will work with the State to develop the necessary information to evaluate what action might be necessary or required.

Per our discussion, you will forward the data collected by the State for our review. I also understand you are expecting additional data on the site which you will forward as soon as it is available. We will review this information and be in touch with your office to discuss what further action may be required. Please feel free to call if there are any questions or comments.

Sincerely,

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